

AMENDMENTS

1. (cancelled)

2. (currently amended) The automobile vent extender of claim [[1]] 3 whereby the tube is generally cylindrical.

3. (currently amended) An automobile vent extender for coupling with a portion of an automobile vent to re-direct air comprising:

_____ a hollow tube having a top portion, and a bottom portion; and

_____ a hollow diffuser having a mouth and an orifice, whereby the orifice is coupled to the top portion of the tube; and

_____ at least one fastening means adapted to attach the bottom portion of the tube to an automobile diffuser;

~~The automobile vent extender of claim 1~~ whereby the tube comprises a flexible semi-rigid material capable of retaining its shape after manipulation.

4. (original) The automobile vent extender of claim 3 wherein the material is plastic.

5. (currently amended) The automobile vent extender of claim [[1]] 3 whereby the fastening means is adapted to removably attach to the bottom portion of the tube.

6. (currently amended) The automobile vent extender of claim [[1]] 3 whereby the fastening means is integrally formed within the bottom portion of the tube.

7. (currently amended) The automobile vent extender of claim [[1]] 3 whereby the diffuser is generally shaped like a funnel such that the orifice diameter is less than the diameter of the mouth.

8. (currently amended) The automobile vent extender of claim [[1]] 3 whereby the fastening means is a clip.

9. (currently amended) The automobile vent extender of claim [[1]] 3 whereby the fastening means is a bracket.

10. (currently amended) An automobile vent extender for coupling with a portion of an automobile vent to re-direct air comprising:

a hollow tube having a top portion, and a bottom portion;

whereby the tube comprises a flexible semi-rigid material capable of retaining its shape after manipulation; [[and]]

a hollow diffuser having a mouth and an orifice, whereby the orifice is adapted to couple to the top portion of the tube; [[and]]

at least one fastening means adapted to attach the bottom portion of the tube to an automobile vent; and

a securing means adapted to attach the automobile vent extender to a child car seat portion.

11. (original) The automobile vent extender of claim 10 whereby the securing means is a clip.

12. (original) The automobile vent extender of claim 10 whereby the securing means is a bracket.

13. (original) The automobile vent extender of claim 10 whereby the securing means removably attaches to the diffuser.

14. (original) The automobile vent extender of claim 10 whereby the securing means is integrally formed within the diffuser.

15. (original) An automobile vent extender for coupling with a portion of an automobile vent to re-direct air comprising:

a segmented, generally cylindrical, hollow, flexible semi-rigid plastic tube capable of retaining its shape after manipulation having a top portion, and a bottom portion; and

a generally funnel-like, plastic diffuser having a mouth and an orifice, whereby the orifice is coupled to the top portion of the tube; and

two clips adapted to removably attach the bottom portion of the tube to an automobile diffuser.

16. (original) The automobile vent of claim 15 whereby the diameter of the bottom portion is 2 ½ inches.

17. (original) The automobile vent of claim 15 whereby the diameter of the top portion is 2 ½ inches.

18. (original) The automobile vent of claim 15 whereby the diameter of the orifice is 2 ½ inches.

19. (original) The automobile vent of claim 15 whereby the diameter of the mouth is 6

inches.

20. (original) The automobile vent of claim 15 whereby the length of the automobile vent extender when fully elongated is 30 inches from the bottom most portion of the tube to the top most portion of the diffuser mouth.